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Ray Murray of Deep Cr. Irr. Co. came in with questions regarding the conveyance of Mosby Irr. Co. water through his private ditch. I informed him of the pertinent state laws i.e. (73-1-6, -1-7, -1-15) explaining that if a person or irrigation Co wished to enlarge his ditch in order to convey more water, and that he was compensated for the enlargement, then State law granted them a right to do so. Mr. Murray countered that several court cases concerning ditch enlargement had concluded that if the ditch owner did not want the ditch enlarged it would not have to be, and that this set precedence for his case. Mr. Murray also stated that his attempts to enlarge the ditch for conveying his own water had been thwarted by the Forest Service refusing to let him enlarge the portion of his ditch running across Forest Service land. I replied that it sounded like he had a strong argument in his favor but that the final outcome would probably ^{be} concluded in court.

Jim Zelko.

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Lance back called - said they had a delivery in [Mosby, Tandy, Marion] and that Art Reckle and Ray Murray were there. They had a note of decide that Art should have his meter delivered to him. Lance asked me to tell Cherrin to deliver his $3\frac{1}{2}$ days of water. and stopped Cherrin - I called Cherrin to tell her that Lance asked me to tell her to deliver water to Art Reckle (3½ days) - she should contact Art to let him know when she would be handing his meter on. She said she would call JP Siddle because the people that worked for Art can JP and Art. She said she would tell them and that she would stop at Art's house.

Lance back called and said that Art Reckle and Dave Murray were there and that Art had something he wanted to tell me. Art got on the phone & told me that Lance & Dave were his witnesses to what he was going to tell me. He then told me to tell Cherrin to deliver 3½ days of water to him beginning tomorrow morning at 6 am. I told him that I already had told her to deliver his water and that she was going to call JP Siddle because she didn't know how to contact him directly because he didn't have a phone & he said she was a lion - that she could call his friends - I went on to tell him that she was also going to stop by his home to tell him.

Lance's call continued - Dave Murray got on the phone and we had some discussion about Cherrin's job. I told that she were two jobs - Water Commissioner for Deep Creek Distribution System and Water Master for Mosby Irrigation - he said I didn't know what it was telling about I said that Mosby assessment for the Deep Creek System was to pay her for doing the Mosby job. He said that there was a common misconception that she does more than half. We then got back to Art Reckles water problem & he wanted us to tell Cherrin to give Art his (Dave Murray) shares of water still he told her that he wanted them again. I told him that he should tell Cherrin that himself. Art got back on the phone and expressed his displeasure and said that he had hired lawyers so that he could recoup his losses because his lawyer up. He also expressed his displeasure of what the way I took back from the day before him at the office and then he hung up before I could say anything more.